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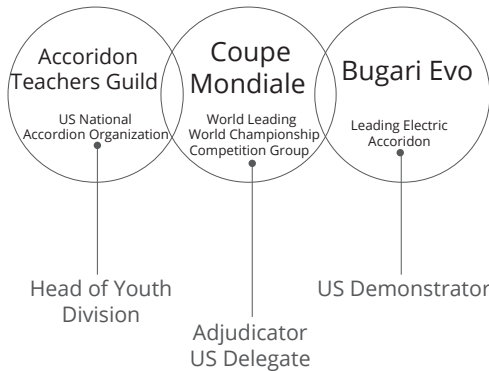
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PERSONAL STATEMENT

I am on a quest in music to revolutionize the accordion. This is both to increase its popularity, and incorporate its massively diverse abilities into the modern electronic age. In my career, the first goal was to become one of the best players in the world, and then utilize the notoriety to make change. I've been fortunate to have won the National Accordion Championship at a record young age, and win 3 World Championships in completely different disciplines which had never before been accomplished.

I now travel the world performing a multitude of genres with various artists, and continue to play modern music on the electronic accordion as I envisioned originally. This creates new excitement in the younger generations about the accordion and is spawning new interest for all to learn. My mission to the accordion world, is to teach all players that aiming for the "Best Musician you can be regardless of your instrument", is more important than trying to be the "Best Accordionist / Instrumentalist".

Association Connections & Positions



Genres Regularly Played / Improvised In

- Jazz ●●● French
- Italian ●●● Balkan
- Tango ●●● Funk
- Klezmer ●●● Electronic
- Brazilian ●●● Brazilian
- Odd Meter Music ●●● Modern
- Accordion Specific ●●● Contemporary / Free
- German ●●● Classical

TEACHING SKILLS

- Began an Online Masterclass for accordionists & musicians around the World to learn aspects of music ranging from Improvisation to specifics in Genres to various thought processes in using Music Theory. "CPez Academy"



EDUCATION

- ****Jazz Teachers / Collaborators**
Allan Chase, George Garzone, Jerry Bergonzi, John McNeil, Ran Blake, Hankus Netsky, Bob Moses, Dominique Eade, Bob Gullotti, Dr. Lonnie Smith, Wynton Marsalis, Alex Acuna, Ralphie Aromstrong, John Lockwood, Eddie Montiero
- ****Accordion Teachers**
Tulio Gasperini, Lou Ludovico, Steve Dominko (World Champion) Charlie Nunzio (Taught World Champions)
- ****From 2007-2011**
New England Conservatory of Music
- ****From 2003-2007**
Cumberland High School

Random Factoids

- 12** Times performed for President Clinton & Hilary Clinton at various events.
- 6** Continents Performed In.
- 0** Times Competed in a World Championship with own Instrument. Borrowed in All 5.
- 4** Times performed at the White House.

Major Accomplishments & Recognitions



- 3 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS
- 2 Other International Titles
1X Acoustic, 1X Digital, 1X Jazz
Only Person to ever achieve this



- GUINNESS WORLD RECORD HOLDER
**Longest Accordion Concert - 32 Hours & 14 Minutes*



- Only TED Talk explaining the Accordion in the World
- Wikipedia Page approved in 2009
- Verified Public Figure Status Approved on Facebook in 2016
- Music used on Formula 1 / Sports broadcasts for FOX, NBC, Velocity, SPEED Channel
- Partnership with RedBull
- Backed by Music Legend Quincy Jones

HOBBIES & INTERESTS



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